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Brooklyn Girl Applies a Signal to the War Yeasel's Curve Calculator.

A clever Brooklyn girl, who was by no means as encophisticated in naval matters as she appeared to be, was pitoted over one of the fighting ships at the navy yard a few months ago by a young ensign, who made the most of his op-portunity. He told her how deadly the torpedoes were, and he thought it no harm to double their effectiveness in

the telling.
"When one of these torpedoes explodes," said the ensign, wasely, "it kills all the fish within a radius of half a mile, and frequently its ferce is so great that the bottom of the sea is laid bare."
"How very interesting," said the Brooklyn girl, "and I suppose you have

seen the bottom of the sea frequently." "Well, you see, I er-er, I have never been detailed for torpedo practice," said the ensign evanively. The ensign told the Brooklyn girl that the six-inch guns on board were constructed on the principle which is so beautifully illustrated by the baseball pitcher, and that they-could be gauged to throw any kind of a

"That must be a great advantage," said the girl, thoughtfully. "Indeed it is," said the ensign. "It

permits all of our guns to go into action at the same time. When, for instance, the starboard guns get the range and begin firing, the captain passes the word to the gunners on the port side: 'Get on to your curves.' This well-known order, by the way, is the original of the

now current slang expression."
"What happens then?" asked the Brooklyn girl, auxiously.
"Then," continued the ensign, thoughtfully, "the best mathematician on the ship is assigned to calculate the curves. That is my duty now. The curve calculator, knowing the range given to the starboard guns, calculates the curve and range for each port gun, and the gunners gauge according to it. Thus, you see, while the starboard guns are firing straight at the enemy the port guns are throwing projectiles in a curve around the bow and stern of the

"Rut if these projectiles are not stopped in their course, isn't there dan-ger that they may complete the circle and come back and hit the ship?" saked

the Brooklyn girl. "That all depends on the curve cal-

if she had been profoundly impressed or tremendously amused, and the entien decided in favor of the fermer in saw a commettee on the diagramp, which was anchored about 600 yards away. A

sallor was waving a fing back and forth, and a man on the ensign's ship seemed to be watching it with interest.

"What are these two men doing?" she "They are wigwagging." "Dear me, is that a form of naval pun-

"No, indeed," said the ensign: "that ship over there is the admiral's Hagship, and the man who is waving a flag is sending an important order from the

admiral to this ship."
"Can you read it?" asked the girl. "It is too late to eatch the full order now," said the easign, "but we will hear the signalman report it to the officer of the deck. It may be an order to prepare for war at once.

The Brooklyn girl tried hard to look impressed by this martial suggestion as she accompanied the ensign to where the officer of the deck was standing. The signalman had completed the me sage, and coming to the officer of the deck, he stopped, saluted, and said: "An order from the fingship, sir."

"What is it?" said the officer, acknowledging the salute.
"Scrub at discretion, sir," said the

signalman, and, saluting, he walked The ensign's expression was blank,

and the Brooklyn girl laughed. "Thank you very much for your kind-ness," she said. "I know that, after that order from the admiral, you, as official curve calculator, will have work to do, so I will join my friends ashore."

This ensign has been suspicious of ingenuous Brooklyn girls who have since visited his ship, and he has congrat-ulated himself that the wardroom mess knew nothing about the incident .- N.

Taploca Soup. When one quart of white stock has been brought to the boil in a snucepan, sprinkle in gradually one and a half tablespoonfuls of tapioca, previously roughly crushed, and stir for perhaps ten minutes until the tapioca begins to clear. Now mix the yolks of four eggs into one gill of cream, and pour the stock upon these, stirring briskly dur-ing the process. When duly amalga-gus. mated, return all to the saucepan again and cook over a gentle heat for a few minutes. Then serve immediately; should the soup seem too thick, add a little more cream to thin.-Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

That hiccoughs may be cured by pulling the tongue several times a minute. keeping it outside the mouth, and then letting it slip back again.

That housework, sweeping, dusting and other innumerable duties necessary to keep things in order about a house, are beneficial to the general health as well as excellent for the complexion.

CARTRIDGES IN SILK.

A Number of Very Excellent Improvements Made in the

Maxim Gun.

Hiram Maxim recently informed a Daily Mail representative that the British government had given his firm an order for their new guns, which have Press. a greatly increased firing speed and 50 per cent, more penetrating power than those hitherto constructed.

The United States had nirendy ordered from Messra. Vickers' Sons & Maxim a large number of these 12-inch guns, and in reference to this Mr. Maxim "This last order is being supplied entirely by our factories in America, on account of the neutrality laws, which would prevent the weapons being shipped if made at the firm's works in

"We have made," said Mr. Maxim, "a good many 6-inch and 12-inch guns for the British government, but these were made from government specifications, using government mechanism, but upon showing the government officials something better we have been given large orders for guns made with our improved mechanism, and this work is being

executed at the present moment. "The statement that our 12-inch gun fires at the rate of three shots a minute," he continued, "is substantially true. This, however, does not mean the that it can be steadily fired at that rate. It might be done for the first minute, commencing with the gun loaded. One thing you can rely upon, and that is that our 12-inch and 6-inch guns are superior to any guns that have yet been invented, both in power and in rate of firing. Any nation using our new high-power 6-inch and 12-inch guns can rest secure that they will never encounter anything that will shoot faster or with any greater penetrating

"The chief features in the new gur are an improved breech-block and the substitution of an asbestos case for the metal cartridge formerly used. The usual breech-block requires neveral turns to hold it safely in position after the charge has been inserted. This loss of time is obviated by a mechanical alteration that gives the same solidity with but a single twist of the block. The cordite and projectiles are held together in a slik lining, incased in asbestor, thus saving weight and magazine room.

"The day the new 6-inch gun was tried at Pertsmouth the perforation implied, according to Treatdier's formula was 22.7 mehes of iron, the greatest per foration faid down in the service table for a 6-limb gun being 15.9 of trut. The

Butcheries.

On one occasion the queen of a too populous district was invited to visit the camp of Gov. Gen. Ovando to witness a tilting match of the Spanish cavalry, and appeared with 78 caciques, or tributary chieftains, followed by a vast multitude of flower-crowned sighteers. At noon all were assembled, 'upon which," says the chronicle of Valcarras, "Ovando gave a signal; and instantly the horsemen rush into the midst of the naked and defenseless throng, trampling them under foot, cutting them down with their swords, and sparing neither age nor sex. The eaciques, assembled in one of the principal houses, were bound to the posts which supported the roof and put to cruel tortures, until, in the extremity of their anguish, they were made to admit the truth of all and any charges, and a horrible punishment was inflicted on the spot; fire was set to the

house and they all perished miserably in the flames." Fugitives were hunted down with bloodhounds. In addition to slave dealers, slave trainers, and slave taskmasters, the planters employed a committee of man-hunters who trained a breed of ferocious hounds for the especial purpose of recapturing deserters, who were generally dragged back to their owners and knotted to death in the presence of their fellow captives as an example in terrorem. An epidemic of suicide supervened, and in less than 80 years a population variously estimated from 3,500,000 to 5,000,-000 had become entirely extinct .-Felix L. Oswald, in Chautauquan.

Japan, with over 40,000,000 inhabitants, has only one leather shoe fac-tory. Nearly all the natives still wear

A Dismal Outlook. Clara-Why did you refuse that rich vidower? They say he has his life innred for a million. Mabel-I know it; but he confessed to me in an unguarded moment that both his father and mother lived to be

over 90 .- Chicago Evening News. There is at present in London a German prince, Max of Saxony, who has renounced his right of succession to the throne of his country and entered the Catholic priesthood. The prince recently preached an eloquent sermon in Whitechapel and said he should devote his life to parochial work.

"The war began the very day we were married," said Honeymoon at the

"I guess that every married couple can truthfully say the same thing," snapped the crusty old bachelor who thinks that woman was put upon the

A Curio of Finance. "What is a unique figure, Uncle Tom?"

earth as a judgment.-Detroit Free

"A unique figure? Why, it is the fig-ure which represents the money you want, but never expect to get."—Detroit Free Press.

Masts for Solling Vessels. The highest masts of sailing vessels are from 160 to 180 feet high, and spread from 65,000 to 100,000 rquare feet of

anvas.-Chicago Times-Herald.

Takes Care of It. She-Your wife has nice hair. She must take good care of it.

He-She does; she locks it up every night.—Yonkers Statesman.

Information Wanted.

Willie-Say, pa? Pa-Well, Willie, what is it? "Is a cannon a pistol's grandpa?" "Oh, yes, I suppose so."
"Then that makes a pistol a little son-of-a-gun, don't it, pa?"—Chicago Even-

Articles of Incorporation

Whiteford Gold Mining Company.

STATE OF ILLINOIS,
COUNTY OF SANGAMON.
ENOW ALL MAIN BY THESE PARKESTS: The
We, Francis R. Smith, Daniel O'Crowley an
James While, of the county of Sanganon
and State of Illinois, the incorporator
hereinatter named and whose unmest are
hereinater named and whose immest are
hereinater named and privitize of the revises
statutes of the Territory of Arizona, relating
to corporations and all amendments thereof
do hereby for that purpose adopt, sign as
asknowledge the following Articles of Incor
poration:

ARTICLE 1.

which was equal to a shot every eight seconds, or, allowing for cooling, 100 shots in 15 minutes."—Chicago Journal.

ANCIENT CUBAN ATROCITIES.

Over Populous Districts Were Thinned Out by the Most Brutal

ARTICLE 2. The general nature of the business of this Corporation shall be the mining of gold, silver, copper, lead and other orce and minerals within the Territory of Arizona, or within any other States or Territory of the United States, and acquiring of water rights, mill sites, and buying and selling, bouding and leasing of mines and mineral bearing lands, water rights and mill sites in the Territory of Arizona, or within any other State or Territory of the United States, and holding property therein, and to buy and sell, mine, smelt, reduce and concentrate ores and minerals of whatsoever character and property, and to hold, use and sell water rights and sites thereof, and the lands necessary or useful therefor, and for the industries and habitations arising out of or to grow out, or to arise or grow up in connection with or about the same, and for the purpose of leasing, erecting, constructing, maintaining, buying, selling, owning, using and operof leasing, erecting, constructing, maintaining, buying, selling, owning, using and operating mining and mill machinery, and all accessory buildings and accessories thereto, including the building and operation of roads, railroads, electric power and light plants, telegraph and telephone lines.

ARTICLE 8.

The capital stock of this Corporation shall se one million dollars (\$1,800,000), and shall The capital stock of this Corporation shall be one million dollars (\$1,809,000), and shall consist of one million shares (1,000,000), of the par value of one dollar (\$1.00) each, all of which is fully paid up inconsideration of the conveyance to this company of certain lands and mines with the improvements thereon, and all appurtenances thereunto belonging, by Gustavas A. Whiteford, conveying to this corporation the following described real certate, mines and mineral claims as follows, towit: The Last Chance lode claim, Confidence lode claim, Rellance lode claim, Golf Rock iode claims and mining lands situate in the Mineral Creek Mining District, in the County of Pinal and Territory of Arisona.

Ber a complete description of the above claims reference may be had to the books of record in the office of the County Recorder in the County of Pinal and Territory on an in the county of Pinal and Territory of Arisona.

Ber a complete description of the above claims reference may be had to the books of record in the office of the County Recorder in the County of Pinal and Territory of Arisona, and which said deeds of conveyance are dated August 1st, 1898. Each of such shares of the capital stock of this corporation shall represent one-millionth (1-1,000,000) part of the property owned or hereafter acquired by said corporation, and each share

Given under my hand and notarial seal this first day of August, 1898. My com-mission expires Dec. 18th, 1900.

COUNTY OF PINAL! SH. I, F. A. Chamberlin, Recorder, in and for the County of Pinal, Territory aforesaid, do hereby certify that the annexed instrument was filed and recorded at request of W. P. Dunham, on the 30th day of Aug., A. D. 1898, at 1 o'clock p. m., in book No. 1, of Arti-eles of Incorporation, page 148.

P. A. CHAMBERLIN,

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Try Schilling's Best-your money back if you don't like it.



shall represent one vote in said company at any election hereafter held by said corpora-

This corporation shall begin husiness from the date of filing these articles in the office of the county records of Pinal County, in the Territory of Arizona, and shall terminate twenty-live years from the date of this Cor-

ARTICLE 5.

The affairs of this Corporation are to be and they shall be conducted by a board of directors or trustees, consisting of seven persons (7), of whom one shall be President, one Vice-President, one Treasurer and one Secretary, but the offices of Secretary and Treasurer may be held by the same person, properly qualified. The President, vice-President and Treasurer shall be Trustees. To be eligible to such offices, each of said officers must be the owner, as shown by the books of this Corporation, of at least one share of the empiral stock of this Corporation, and said officers shall be elected annually by stockholders of this corporation at the said city of Springfield, Illinois, or at such other time and place as way hereafter be prescribed by the By-Laws of this Corporation, and shall hold such offices until their successors are duly elected and qualified. The following named persons who are stockholders in this corporation, shall centitute the Board of Directors of this company until the second Tuesday of September, 1899, and until their successors are elected and qualified, to-wir: F. B. Smith, Springfield, Illinois; Daniel O'Crowley, Springfield, Illinois; W. E. Kelson, Quiney, Illinois; G. A. Whiteford, filterside, Arizona; W. P. Dunham River.

ARTICLE 7.

ARTICLE 8.

FRANCIS B. SMITH. JAMES WHITE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS,

Before me, Harry L. Smith, a Notary Public in and for the County of Sangamon, State of Ill., personally appeared F. B. Smith, Daniel O'Crawley and James White, personally knewn to me to be the same personal whose names are subscribed to the annexed instrument, and each individual acknowledged that he signed and executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein set forth.

HARRY L. SMITH. Notary Public TERRITORY OF AMIZONA,

By THOS. G. PEYTON,

it more besides.